A Christmas Carol.

Words by G. K. Chesterton

Soprano

The Christ child lay on Mary's lap

Alto

Crotchets circa 70

His hair was like a light

Tutti

Oh

Tutti all parts. pp.

Tutti. mf. cresc

Christ child lay on Mary's breast

His hair was like a star

Oh stern

Solo.

p. poco cresc

rit et dim.

pp.

Solo.

weary, weary were the world but here is all alright.

weary, weary were the world but here is all alright.

Oh

(f. mp. dim e rit.

Solo. a tempo.)

and cunning are the kings but here the true hearts are

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Stern and cunning are the kings but here the true hearts are

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lay on Mary's heart. Oh weary, 

His hair was like a fire. Tutti pp. 

p. poco cresc. rit e dim. Tutti tempo primo/p.cresc 

weary is the world but here the world's desire. The Christ child stood at 

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Ma-ry's knee. His hair was like a crown and all the 

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